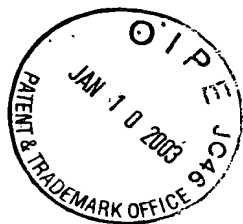


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Donald P. Coleman

Title:

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**REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL OF  
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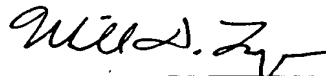
Applicants request withdrawal of the captioned PCT patent application from further consideration under Rule 90<sup>bis</sup> (See § 90<sup>bis</sup>.1 Withdrawal of the International Application).

Enclosed are copies of executed Appointments of Agent for applicant Midland Loan Services, Inc. (as applicant for all designated states except the United States) and applicant Don Coleman (as applicant/inventor for the United States) authorizing the undersigned representative to request withdrawal of the captioned application.

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Appointments of Agent are being submitted on the same date as this Request  
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